

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Sauerberg et al. Confirmation No.: 2809

Serial No.: 10/734,368 Group Art Unit: 1621

Filed: December 12, 2003 Examiner: Keys, Rosalynd Ann

For: Novel Compounds, Their Preparation and Use

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated November 7, 2008 be extended for a period of three (3) months from February 7, 2009 to May 7, 2009. Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for such extension of time.

Please charge the required fee, estimated to be \$1,110, with this application and to credit any overpayments to Novo Nordisk Inc., Deposit Account No. 14-1447. Please charge any additional fees, should they be required, to Deposit Account No. 14-1447.

Respectfully submitted,

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